

409. (Previously Presented) A method according to any of claims ~~375-382~~ ^{341-344 or 371-374} wherein said biological samples are sera.

410. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~383~~ ³⁴⁵ wherein said biological samples are sera.

411. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~384~~ ³⁷⁵ wherein said biological samples are sera.

412. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~385~~ ³⁴⁶ wherein said biological samples are sera.

413. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~386~~ ³⁷⁶ wherein said biological samples are sera.

414. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~387~~ ³⁵⁸ wherein said biological samples are sera.

415. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~388~~ ³⁴⁷ wherein said biological samples are sera.

416. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~389~~ ³⁸⁸ wherein said biological samples are sera.

417. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~390~~ ³⁷⁷ wherein said biological samples are sera.

418. (Previously Presented) A method according to any of claims ~~375, 377, 379 or 381~~ ³⁴¹⁻³⁴⁴ further comprising employing biological samples that are not selected for a preparation of blood-related products.

419. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~383~~ ³⁴⁵ further comprising employing biological samples that are not selected for a preparation of blood-related products.

420. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim ~~385~~ ³⁴⁶ further comprising employing biological samples that are not selected for a preparation of blood-related products.